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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Wordell Nelson, et al.
For: : **FLASHLIGHT WITH LIGHT EMITTING
DIODE SOURCE**
Serial No. : 09/604,474
Filed : June 27, 2000
Examiner : TON, A.
Group Art : 2875
Last Office Action : July 5, 2001
Attorney Docket : LD-11114
GEC 2 0317 (III)

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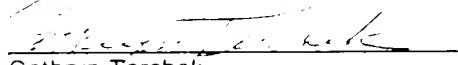
Assistant Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
BOX: PATENT APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

The Office Action which issued on December 21, 2001 has now been fully considered by Applicants. All of the issues raised by the Examiner have been addressed. Consequently, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application, withdrawal of all rejections of the pending claims, and passage of the case to issue in view of the remarks set forth below.

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To the Assistant Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fees have been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims remaining after amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	No. of Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Rate
Total Claims	21	Minus	23	-0-	X 18.00	\$ 0.00
Index. Claims	2	Minus	3	-0-	X 78.00	\$ 0.00

[XX] No additional fee is required.


[XX] Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and request any additional extensions of time that may be necessary and authorize the extension of time fees to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

[XX] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, without specific authorization, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

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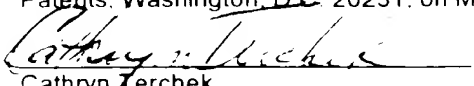
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